

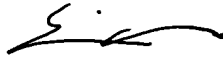
REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action, of September 9, 2005, Applicant hereby elects without traverse Group I, claims 1-24, drawn to a method for manufacturing a semiconductor device.

Claims 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, and 21 have been amended to correct a minor grammatical matter and claims 25-28 have been canceled.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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